

# **SC Annual School Report Card Summary**

**North Middle-High School** 

**Orangeburg Consolidated School District 5** Grades: 6-12 **Enrollment: 306** 

**Principal: Charles Gregory** Superintendent: Cynthia Wilson **Board Chair: Mary Ulmer** 

# **PERFORMANCE**

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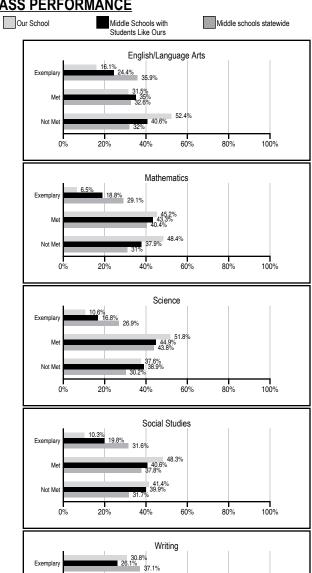
YEAR	ABSOLUTE RATING	GROWTH RATING	PALMETTO GOLD AND SILVER AWARD		ESEA/FEDERAL ACCOUNTABILITY RATING SYSTEM	
			General Performance	Closing the Gap	ESEA Grade	Accountability Indicator
2012	Below Average	Average	TBD	TBD	F	N/A
2011	Below Average	Average	Silver	Silver	Not Met	N/A
2010	Below Average	Average	N/A	N/A	Met	N/A

# **ABSOLUTE RATINGS OF MIDDLE SCHOOLS WITH STUDENTS LIKE OURS\***

EXCELLENT	GOOD	AVERAGE	BELOW AVERAGE	AT-RISK
0	2	41	10	7

<sup>\*</sup> Ratings are calculated with data available by 11/07/2012. Schools with Students Like Ours are Middle Schools with Poverty Indices of no more than 5% above or below the index for this school.

### PASS PERFORMANCE

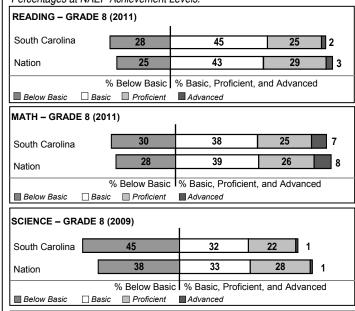


60%

100%

# **NAEP PERFORMANCE\***

\* Performance reported for SC and nation, data not available at school level. Percentages at NAEP Achievement Levels.



END OF COURSE TESTS - 2012					
% of students scoring 70 or above on:	Our Middle School	Middle Schools with Students Like Ours			
Algebra 1/Math for the Technologies 2	85.7	94.4			
English 1	100.0	83.9			
Physical Science	N/A	N/A			
US History and the Constitution	N/A	N/A			
All Subjects	92.6	92.5			

#### **SC PERFORMANCE VISION**

By 2020 all students will graduate with the knowledge and skills necessary to compete successfully in the global economy, participate in a democratic society and contribute positively as members of families and communities.

# **North Middle-High School** [Orangeburg Consolidated School District 5]

#### **SCHOOL PROFILE**

	Our School	Change from Last Year	Middle Schools with Students Like Ours	Median Middle School
Students (n=306)				
Students enrolled in high school credit courses (grades 7 & 8)	13.8%	Down from 14.6%	16.8%	22.9%
Retention rate	4.2%	Down from 10.0%	1.1%	0.8%
Attendance rate	93.1%	Up from 92.1%	95.9%	96.2%
Served by gifted and talented program	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV
With disabilities other than speech	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV
Older than usual for grade	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV
Out-of-school suspensions or expulsions for violent and/or criminal offenses	0.7%	Up from 0.6%	0.6%	0.5%
Annual dropout rate	0.0%	No Change	0.0%	0.0%
Teachers (n=28)				
Teachers with advanced degrees	60.7%	Up from 53.6%	60.5%	61.3%
Continuing contract teachers	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV
Teachers returning from previous year	77.7%	Down from 77.8%	82.4%	86.7%
Teacher attendance rate	94.4%	Down from 95.4%	95.1%	95.2%
Average teacher salary*	\$46,961	Up 6.7%	\$45,149	\$46,422
Classes not taught by highly qualified teachers	0.0%	Down from 2.5%	2.4%	2.0%
Professional development days/teacher	13.8 days	Down from 15.9 days	10.3 days	10.0 days
School				
Principal's years at school	1.0	Down from 2.0	3.5	4.0
Student-teacher ratio in core subjects	18.1 to 1	Up from 16.6 to 1	21.1 to 1	22.0 to 1
Prime instructional time	85.8%	Up from 85.6%	89.5%	90.1%
Opportunities in the arts	Good	No Change	Good	Good
SACS accreditation	Yes	No Change	Yes	Yes
Parents attending conferences	100.0%	Up from 99.4%	98.8%	98.8%
Character development program	Average	No Change	Good	Good
Dollars spent per pupil**	\$10,875	Up 10.7%	\$8,192	\$7,245
Percent of expenditures for instruction**	58.7%	Down from 61.4%	61.5%	63.1%
Percent of expenditures for teacher salaries**	54.5%	Down from 60.3%	56.9%	60.9%
ESEA composite index score	51.0	N/A	82.7	88.1

Length of contract = 185+ days.

#### **EVALUATION RESULTS**

	Teachers	Students*	Parents*
Number of surveys returned	25	38	39
Percent satisfied with learning environment	60.0%	67.6%	89.2%
Percent satisfied with social and physical environment	80.0%	73.7%	68.4%
Percent satisfied with school-home relations	36.0%	86.8%	73.7%

<sup>\*</sup>Only students at the highest middle school grade level at this school and their parents were included.

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# REPORT OF PRINCIPAL AND SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL

North Middle-High School is located in Orangeburg County and is a part of Orangeburg Consolidated School District Five. We serve students in grades 6-12 with an approximate enrollment of 310 students. Our vision, like our district's, is "Working Together to Build a World-Class School System."

North Middle-High School is a "Making Middle Grades Work" and "High Schools That Work" site. Teachers utilize Voyager, USA TestPrep, and Study Island to increase literacy and numeracy levels.

North Middle-High School offers several extracurricular opportunities for students. The band continued to excel this year and finished as a state finalist. The volleyball team advanced to the state playoffs, and one member of the track team won two State Championship Titles.

Communication was an emphasis for the 2011-2012 school years. The school hosted parent nights each nine weeks as well as a middle school night and a high school night. In the spring, the school hosted a night for the rising sixth graders. Weekly call outs using Blackboard Connect were made to keep parents aware of upcoming school events. The marguee in front of the school listed school events and student achievements.

The school was led by an outstanding group of seniors this year. There were 42 active senior students and 41 received high school diplomas. The seniors were responsible for reviving the school yearbook and having the first baccalaureate service in over forty years. All seniors completed a senior exit project and presented their findings to a panel of judges. Students participated in several community activities including two blood drives, Adopt a Highway, and a Community Day in the spring.

The (SIC) School Improvement Council along with the help of our district focused on improving our technology. All classrooms are now equipped with new computers, LCD projectors, and white boards. Increasing parental involvement was also a focus of the SIC, as a result of this initiative, there has been an increase in the number of parents actively involved with the school.

As we look forward to the 2012-2013 school year we can definitely say that North Middle-High School is moving in the right direction.

Charles Gregory, Principal Bobby Gordon, SIC President

<sup>\*\*</sup> Prior year audited financial data available.